

take the consequences of my actions. So my recommendation is that neither one of these resolutions be adopted.

SENATOR CLARK: Senator VonMinden.

SENATOR VonMINDEN: Mr. President, members of the body, I rise to oppose this amendment. In the very first part, to say that somebody is uncivilized because they think a little different than my learned colleagues makes me get up here and talk to you. Yesterday when Reverend Siliven called me up to the lobby, the rotunda, to ask me if I would support this resolution, I told him I would but I wouldn't say a word about it. I wouldn't touch it with a ten foot pole. It is something like abortion. You lose friends, you lose respect by talking about it but I wonder sometimes, standing here right now, it is something like an alcoholic when he gets up and stands up and says, "I am an alcoholic." It is getting pretty doggone hard in our programmed society now to be anti-religious and to get up here and say you are a Christian. Several, many years ago my forefathers came to America because they were being prosecuted by religion and I see nothing wrong in this small segment of society of people who believe in Christianity by raising their kids the way they want to be raised. LB 7 which we debated all day yesterday and into the night, we wouldn't have had to had such a bill if we were all Christian like those people. There are no ADC people amongst the minorities who have Christianity. They have values that we don't teach in public schools. They have values where they do unto others as you want done unto you and they also teach marriage and no divorces. So our problem with ADC would be eliminated. With that I am going to close but I think it is high time some of us people start standing up and say we are Christians and we believe in Christianity and we are going to oppose the people who are trying to do away with Christianity. Thank you.

SENATOR CLARK: Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: I call the question.

SENATOR CLARK: The question has been called for. Do I see five hands? I do. All those in favor of ceasing debate vote aye. All those opposed vote nay.

CLERK: Senator Clark voting aye.

SENATOR CLARK: Have you all voted on ceasing debate? Record the vote.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 7 nays to cease debate, Mr. President.